

PITCH IN – CLEAN UP COMMITTEE MINUTES NOVEMBER 1, 2011

PRESENT:

Becky Pacey
Debbie Rogers

Lou Carnright
Mayor, Kim Holaway

Tim Rasmussen
Deryl Jevons
Joe Sitarzewski
Bruce Ray

Tim welcomed everyone and conducted the meeting. He reminded the members to keep trying to recruit new members.

Becky reported that the flowers at the pool are doing well. She said she has a key to the building and would give it to Joe or another committee member if she should have to leave town for a while.

Becky reported that all the trees for the Community Challenge Grant have been planted. She will be meeting with Mayor Holaway to answer any questions pertaining to the trees for the grant.

After a discussion, Joe suggested waiting until next year to implement the Recognition of Business Improvements program. The members agreed to wait until next year.

As discussed at the last meeting, the Boys and Girls Club members will be decorating the welcome sign and the gazebo for Christmas. The committee would like to have these areas decorated before the Electric Light Parade that will be on December 10th. The committee will be helping with the decorating. Joe said there are decorations from last year being stored at Town Hall. Debbie said that \$100.00 from the committee's budget could be used to purchase any extra decorations. It was suggested taking down the fall decorations at the welcome sign after Thanksgiving. After a discussion, the members agreed on November 28th at 9 A.M. to take down fall decorations and to decorate for Christmas on December 3rd at 10 A.M. Tim said that the Boys and Girls Club is normally closed on the weekend, but he would try to make arrangements for their participation. Lou will speak with Marion Wiltbank to see if the orange lights at the gazebo can stay up until Thanksgiving and then public works crews can put up the Christmas lights the week of November 28th through December 1st. The committee would like for Lou ask Marion if she is planning on decorating Centennial Park.

Tim reported that he was having problems getting designs for Centennial Park sign. Tim will draft some ideas and email to committee members for their input. Tim said that he checked with the high school and they could not help. Debbie said she would check on sign companies in Show Low for designs and cost estimates. Debbie will email designs to members. Becky said once there are designs available she would talk to Mr. Sholley to get estimates. The sign would be a front facing sign with a backdrop. Joe suggested having uniformity to all town signs and to consider the maintenance of the signs. Debbie

suggested coordinating the sign to the kiosks at the park. Bruce will let the committee know of any conflicts with town ordinances. Joe suggested considering other sources of skilled labor such as NPC students or ADOC inmates.

Tim congratulated Becky on being named the Chamber of Commerce's 2011 Volunteer Hall of Fame. Mayor Holaway reported that the Town of Eagar received a certificate for the Main Street Beautification project. She would like to get the certificate framed and placed at public works.

Joe asked about the status of trash receptacles for Centennial Park. Mayor Holaway said she has ordered three.

The next meeting is scheduled for December 6th at 4 P.M. at town hall council chambers.

Tim Rasmussen, Chairperson